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G. V. G. & N. RAILROAD,

TIME TABLE:
Between BOWIE and FORT THOMAS.
Taking effect May 31st, at 1:00 p. m.

No. 1.				No. 2.
6 30..a.m..Lv	Fort Thomas §	Ar	5 40.pm	
7 04..a.m..Lv	Mathewsville ‡	Lv	5 09.pm	
7 17..a.m..Ar	Pima §	Lv	4 55.pm	
7 45..a.m..Lv	Pima §	Ar	4 25.pm	
7 55..a.m..Lv	Central ‡	Lv	4 14.pm	
8 05..a.m..Lv	Thatcher ‡	Lv	4 04.pm	
8 19..a.m..Ar	Safford §	Lv	3 50.pm	
9 29..a.m..Lv	Safford §	Ar	3 30.pm	
8 48..a.m..Ar	Solomon §	Lv	3 10.pm	
8 53..a.m..Lv	Solomon §	Ar	2 55.pm	
9 21..a.m..Lv	Rail N Ranch ‡	Lv	2 25.pm	
9 35..a.m..Lv	Big Wind Mill ‡	Lv	2 11.pm	
9 50..a.m..Lv	Bailey's Wells ‡	Lv	2 00.pm	
10 57..a.m..Lv	G. V. G. & N. ys. §	Lv	1 10.pm	
11 00..a.m..Ar	Bowie §	Lv	1 00.pm	

Mountain Time

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sunday, connecting with Southern Pacific R. R. at Bowie for all points east and west, and with Layton's stage line at Fort Thomas for San Carlos, Globe City and Tonto Basin.

‡ Stations have no agents.
§ Telegraph Stations.

The Company reserves the right to vary this schedule as circumstances may require.

WM. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

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TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No. Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1895	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m		1	†Lds'burg‡		10 20 a m
1 00 p m	20	2	†Summit †	20	9 20 a m
2 00 p m	40	3	Ar Duncan†	20	8 20 a m
2 10 p m	....	..	Lv Duncan‡	...	8 10 a m
2 35 p m	47	4	*†Sheld'n†	7	7 45 a m
2 48 p m	50	5	*†Yorks †	3	7 38 a m
3 05 p m	55	6	†Coronado†	5	7 25 a m
3 25 p m	59	7	†Guthrie †	4	7 10 a m
3 55 p m	64	8	*†s Siding†	5	6 45 a m
4 00 p m	66	9	†n Siding†	2	6 40 a m
4 30 p m	71	10	Ar Clifton†	5	6 15 a m

Trains run daily except Sunday
* Stop on Signal † Leave ‡ Arrive.

PROFESSIONAL.

DENTISTRY.

Dr. M. E. Brenner,
Dentist.
SAFFORD, - - ARIZONA
Has finished his new office and is prepared to make sets of false teeth from $10.00 up. Teeth positively extracted without pain.
Rooms at the Groesbeck Hotel.
OFFICE HOURS; 9 to 12 a. m. 2 to 4 p. m.

LEGAL.

W. B. Fonda,
Justice of the Peace.
SAFFORD, - - ARIZONA
Special attention given to collections
Water rights bought and sold.
Draws deeds, contracts and all kinds of legal papers. Titles examined and abstracts furnished.

Barnes & Martin,
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TUCSON, - - - ARIZONA

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District Attorney.
SOLOMONVILLE, - - ARIZONA
Practices in all Federal and Territorial Courts
A general law business conducted and special attention given to Water Rights, Land and Mining business.

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Attends the District Court of Graham County and practices in all the Courts in Arizona.

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Office in the Arizona Copper Co's Building west side of the river.

Jos. H. Lines,
Justice of the Peace.
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Conveyancing done and all kinds of legal papers drawn.

PHYSICIANS.

Dr. L. E. Wightman,
Physician and Surgeon.
PIMA, - - - ARIZONA.
Calls answered promptly day and night.
Office, Main Street,

Safford Drug Co.,

E. T. IJAMS, - - - Manager.

Drugs,
Medicines,
Patent Medicines,
Toilet Articles,
And everything usually kept in a first-class drug store.

OFFICE OF
CHAS. H. PORTER, M. D
In the same building
—STORE OPEN DAY AND NIGHT—

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interest Picked up Here and There.

Mrs. E. D. Tuttle left for California on Tuesday's train.

Postmaster Hunter is building a new addition to his residence.

A full line of Millinery Stock at T. T. Hunter,s. 4-6-tf

Judge Goodwin was seen on the streets last Tuesday.

Sheriff Wight paid this office a visit last Tuesday.

The only place in town to get Oranges, Bananas and Lemons is at T. T. Hunter's. 4-27-tf

The Bingham threshing machine commenced work on the Lassator farm on Thursday.

Mrs. Dr. Brenner was confined to her room several days this week, suffering from a severe cold.

Harvesting machines are now running at full blast, as also are the threshing machines, and every farmer is reaping a rich harvest.

Silks! Silks! Silks! All kinds o summer silks at the Blue Store 4-20-t

J. T. Owens has purchased a fine $50 cow and is now looking for some one to milk her.

The wheat market opened excitedly in Chicago last Monday and within a few minutes prices touched a point only half a cent under the top figure during the recent boom.

Alexander Bros. have just received a large quantity of 36 inch Calcutta grain sacks, which they are selling at 7 1-2 cents each, at their store at Fort Thomas.

If you want a good suit of clothing go to J. T. Owens. 4-20-tf

Dr. and Mrs. Porter and Mr Mrs. James Pursley took their blankets and went to the Brown ranch and camped out Tuesday night, returning home Wednesday morning.

J. T. Owens keeps the finest line of shoes in town. 4-20 tf

I. E. D. Zundel, of Thatcher, has just completed a brick addition to his residence at that place, which gives it a much more home-like appearance.

The Safford Milling and Merchandise company are pushing the building of their mill as fast as possible, in order to be ready to grind wheat by July. This company also inend to start a co-op-store.

I can cure you of the tobacco habit for $2.50. I guarantee No-To-Bac to cure you. Call at my store and buy $2.50 worth and if it does not cure you I will refund the money, if you follow my directions.
6-1-tf. J. T. OWENS.

Thatcher is to have another school building. The trustees have purchased the ground and are now collecting material with which to build a house before the school opens again. The foundation is now almost completed. The building is to be large and convenient.

Dr. Wightman and Miss Janey Weech were callers at the GUARDIAN office the first of the week. Dr. Wightman has just received quite an assortment of drugs, and says in about a month he intends to open a first-class drug store at Pima.

In another column will be found the advertisement giving the pedigree of Index Junior. This is one of the fastest and best known horses in the Territory. He will stand at Cris Madson's livery stable in Safford, and at George A. Olney's corral in Solomonville during the present season.

The Misses Allie and Katie Hunter, who have been at Clifton where Miss Allie taught school the past season, arrived in Safford on Thursday. The young ladies will remain with their father until the schools open in the fall, when Miss Allie will again return to Clifton and take charge of her former school.

The rumor that has been going the rounds lately that Frank Bennett, who is confined in the Nogales hospital with small pox is being neglected, is entirely false. No sooner had the word of Frank's illness been received, when his father immediately started for Nogales to see that his son received proper medical treatment and nursing, but on arrival, Mr. Bennett found that everything was being done for his son that could possibly be done and that he was on the improve. Mr. Bennett is still at Nogales, where he will remain until Frank is out of danger.

THE GLOBE MINES.

Sale to New York Parties Contemplated and the Plant to be Re-opened.

On Sunday night a special on the G. V., G. & N. Ry. returned to Bowie from Fort Thomas, having on board Supt. Colquhoun, of Clifton; Col. M. J. Egan, Paul Nicholas, foreman of the Longfellow, of the Clifton mines; assayer Denby, of Clifton; and Expert Hines, representing the Lewiston Brothers, of New York. They were returning from Globe where they had been to inspect the Old Dominion mines for the Lewiston Brothers, who contemplate purchasing the property. They are all loud in their praise of the Globe mines, and Supt. Colquhoun pronounced them as fine as he ever saw in the west. The report, presumably, will be favorable to the mines as most superior property, and upon that report it is expected that the Lewiston Brothers will become the purchasers. If so, the plant will begin operations again at an early day with the probable addition of a leaching plant. The building of the railroad is of great advantage to the Globe mines and will greatly cheapen the cost of their operation. The prospect of the re-opening of these mines will be joyful news to the people of our valley, whose interests will be largely identical with those of our Globe neighbors.

Oh! Where is U-Ka-Shee?

On last Saturday afternoon in Solomonville it was plain to be seen that something unusual was afloat, but not until shortly before sundown did the public become aware of the fact that the Apache Indian had "u-ka-sheed" or skinned out from the county jail. He had been there about three weeks on account of being arraigned before justice Reashau for not being able to distinguish other people's cattle from those which he himself claimed. The Indian had worn shackles ever since being confined in jail until Saturday, when they were removed, the Indian claiming to be sick. The last seen of him before the escape he was sitting in the rear room holding a "smelling" bottle to his nose to stimulate his nerves.

When the escape was discovered by the sheriff's officers, there was consdierable "suppressed commotion" about the court house. Mr. Indian was trailed by the boys out into the barley field west of the court house and it is supposed he made his way to the reservation. Clerk Adams speaking to the Indian during the day, jokingly said, "u-ka-shee," and the Indian replied "u-ka-shee bimeby." In a short time it was discovered that he had really "u-ku-sheed." Now Harry Smith claims that Adams is an accomplice in the escape and is *particeps criminatus pusillanimous* in the crime according to law. Adams lays it on to the man who supplied the Indian with the "smelling" bottle which generated too much "nerve" force.

The Fourth at Thomas.

EDITOR GUARDIAN:—Somebody, with an intent to injure our 4th of July celebration, started a report that it was a failure as we could not raise but $60. To prove that this is a malicious untruth we will say that each of our individual subscriptions is over this amount and the subscriptions are now over $400.00, with many people to hear from.

Our celebration is sure. There will be horse races, base ball, steer tying and roping, foot and bicycle races, a fine display of fireworks and a grand ball at night.

The railroad company have guaranteed low rates and everyone will have a good time. Every effort will be made to make this the grandest celebration ever held in the Territory.

ALEXANDER BROS.
D. H. MING.

The large wind mill on the ranch of Mr. E. T. Ijams, about three miles from Bowie, was blown down during a severe wind storm which passed through that section on Wednesday.

CHURUH NOTES.

M. E. CHURCH, REV. D. ROBERTS, Pastor—Service held every Sabbath morning and evening. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Class meeting after morning's service every other Sunday. Weekly prayer meeting on Thursday at 7 p. m.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids will be recieved at the office of the undersigned for the delivery of 500 cords of wood, up to and including June 10th 1895, either at Fort Thomas, Geronimo, Mathewsville, Pima, Central, Safford, Solomonville or Bowie. No bid will be considered for less than fifty cords.

Specifications and form of contract can be had upon application.
MIDLAND CONSTRUCTION CO.
5-2.3t. Bowie Ariz.

GRESHAM DEAD

The Secretary Passed Quietly Away on the Morning of May 27th.

Secretary Gresham died at 1:15 a. m. May 27th.

At 6:45 p. m. the secretary experienced another sinking spell and the gravest fears were entertained that he might not be able to survive it. Restoratives were applied but the effect was not known.

Assistant Secretaryl Uh and Drs. Johnson and Prentiss were summoned to his bedroom.

At 7:40 p.m. it was said that secretary Gresham could not survive the night and telegrams were sent to his son Otto, en route to Washington, to take a special train from Pittsburg.

At 10:45 the physicians said he was dying but he remained conscious and was able to talk.

Shortly after midnight his death was considered only a question of moments. His pulse was so rapid and feeble that it could hardly be discovered. Nitro-glycerine and strychnine had been constantly administered to stimulate the action of the heart.

His wife, daughter and son-in-law were at his bedside when he breathed his last.

The secretary had long been in ill health. Two weeks ago his condition was so seriously regarded that his friends feared what has just come to past.

The remains of Gresham have been embalmed.

A brief funeral service was held at the White House on Wednesday at 10 a. m. Orders were sent by Secretary Lamont to all military posts to place their colors at half-mast and salutes were fired during the funeral services. The body laid in state all the morning and left Washington for Chicago at 1 p. m. The president and members of the cabinet accompanied the remains to their last resting place.

A MENACE TO ARIZONA.

Delegate Murphy Writes to Secretary Lamont About the Indians.

The Los Angelas *Times* says: Hon. Oaks Hurphy, delegate to Congress, has written to the Secretary of War that from reliable information it is learned that the Indians are restless and threatening; that a sense of insecurity prevails, and that such a condition is a great injury to Arizona. He urges the importance of strengthening the military force at San Carlos and vicinity. In conclusion the letter says that it seems only just and proper that so long as the possibility of danger exists from the untamed Indians that ample and effective protection should be afforded to life and property.

"It is my judgement," he writes, "that no protracted Apache war will ever again occur, especially if an adequate military force is maintained at exposed points. It is hoped that no serious trouble will result now, although a few hostiles may commit many atrocities." He assigns as the cause of the disturbance the inadequacy of rations and of compensation for rights-of-way through the reservation. This, however, he states is merely an excuse.

Benefit Dance.

The Athletic Base Ball Club will give a grand benefit dance in Jacobson's hall Friday evening, June 7th. The proceeds of the dance will be used to pay for the new uniforms just ordered. All persons interested in the national game should give the team hearty support.

With proper encouragement in this way, our valley can have a team that will be able to play ball with any team in the surrounding country.

Come out and give the boys your support. Good music has been engaged and the admission is only 50 cents.

Another Building.

Mr. E. T. Ijams, the popular manager of the Safford Drug Co., purchased from E. D. Tuttle this week the lot 100x50 feet opposite the post-office. Mr. Ijams will at once erect a handsome brick building to be used for the drug company's store, their present quarters being too small. He is also considering the advisabily of devoting a large room on the upper story to the interest of secret societies. This is a move in the right direction, and there can be no doubt but that it would be a good investment.

Snow on Mt. Graham.

Snow fell on the summit of Mt. Graham on the nights of May 28th and 29th. This is an extraordinary occurrence for this country—something that has not happened before in the history of the valley. The snow was visible from every town in the valley.

The suit brought by H. F. Norton, of Central, against the railroad for the killing of a cow, which was set for last Thursday has been postponed until Monday next.

DUNCAN.

Wm. Green, of Trinadad, Col., has been here the past week and bought cattle from every person around here who owns any. Mr. Green also purchased all the cattle that were for sale, this season, between here and Silver City.

Messrs. Ward & Courtney have just put in a new hay stacker and new hay rakes that are said to make short work of hay gathering and stacking, and thereby reducing labor about one half from the old style of making and stacking hay.

No rain fell here after all the signs up to this writing and the water in the river, if no lower, is certainly no higher. This would indicate that no heavy rains fell further up the river.

The road from the McDermott mine to the Duncan road is about half completed. We look forward to the completion of this road to great activity in the mining business and freighting between here and the mines. We have been told that bids for the delivery of one thousand tons of ore to Duncan are asked for.

W. H. Child passed through Duncan from Carlisle, this week, on his way to San Francisco. Mr. Child goes to meet his wife and family who are on their way from their present home in Helena, Mont., via California to Carlisle. Mr. Child expects to be gone ten days or two weeks.

James Colquhoun arrived home from Globe last Monday.

It is reported that Mrs. Simpson's condition is slightly improved. Tom has not yet returned home and will not leave his wife's bed side until she is beyond all danger.

Charles Wilson has let his sheep out on shares to N. B. Means, a newcomer. Charley says the sheep business is a good one, but entirely too lonesome for a young man that wants to grow up in a city. Charles will move to town to live for the present.

Two more experts went to Carlisle last Monday.

The sampling works which are under the supervision of J. R. Nicks, are going right up and will be ready for business inside of a week.

Mr. Shockly, of the Alabama, is shipping two more car loads of ore this week to the El Paso smelter, and expects to ship more soon.

H. C. Day has been appointed school trustee. We failed to hold an election this year, on account of the law changing in regard to the date of holding the same, therefore Judge Cluff appointed Mr. Day. This is the right man in the right place.

We understand that quite a time will be had here on the Fourth, and arrangements are being made to that effect.

Hay sells here baled, for $12.50. Some of the Safford merchants lay hay down in Clifton for $14.00 per ton. Duncan could have had this business but did not want it at that figure. The freight rate from Sheldon to Clifton on hay is $2.85 per ton, that makes hay worth $11.15 at Sheldon, which is about $2.00 less than what it is really worth. Brother merchants, you are welcome to this business at that price.

W. F. Hagan was on the train Tuesday, bound for Lordsburg and eastern points.

Very high wind been blowing the last few days.

Howard and John Boone and Son arrived here Tuesday, and passed on to Carlisle. M.

University Exercises.

Hon. George Skinner returned home Thursday from Tucson, where he had been to attend the first annual commencement exercises of the University of Arizona, on Wednesday. Mr. Skinner says that the program was carried successfully through and that the only break was the ommission of the Governor's address, he having been detained in Phenix. He says the exercises were highly instructive as well as entertaining, and that the graduating class, Chas. O. Rouse, Miss Mercedes A. Shibell and Miss Mary F. Walker, passed successfully through the examination, doing honor to themselves as well as to their instructors.

RANCH FOR SALE.

Eighty acres of improved land, two miles from Safford, patented, thirty acres in alfalfa, twenty-five acres planted in corn, comfortable adobe dwelling, best well of water in the valley, irrigation facilities unsurpassed, water cannot fail until the Gila river goes dry. The ranch will pay the purchase money in two years from the alfalfa alone.
Apply to
F. L. B. GOODWIN, Solomonville.

TERRITORIAL.

Clipped and Condensed From Late Exchanges.

PASSING EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Happenings Throughout the Territory Edited With the Scissors.

Two brothers who have been placer mining in the San Juan country and later on prospected in the Grand Canyon and worked some ground in Marble canyon, are recent arrivals in Prescott, looking for placer ground. They have a placer working progcess of their own invention and did quite well in Marble canyon until driven out by high water. The gold found there is very fine, as it takes an average of 2500 colors to equal the value of one cent.—*Prescott Courier.*

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Monday Doctor W. F. Chenoweth, United States sanitary inspector at Nogales, received from Guaymas telegrams from Doctor Figueroa, president of the municipality and United States Vice Consul Hale, assuring him that the rumor in circulation that there is yellow fever at Mazatlan and Guaymas. is utterly without foundation in either city.—*Oasis*

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It would be difficult to form an estimate as to the number of cattle left on the ranges of Arizona after the spring shipments are over, but it is conservative to say that less cattle will be found roaming around than at any time during the past ten years. Everything in the steer line has been sold and removed to pastures, leaving only breeding animals.—*Stockman.*

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The immigration commissioner in Maricopa county, stands a poor show to get anything but honor for his work. The board of supervisors are too sensible and too loyal to the people to allow the money to be paid when it is clearly in violation of law.—*Review.*

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The oft repeated story of the death of the "Kid" is again told by the Phenix press. It is somewhat strange that this red-handed murderer, with a reward of $5,000 hanging over his head, is regularly and systematically killed off but no claim is ever made for the comfortable sum of money which awaits the fortunate man who really can kill him. Until this is done we can put down as pure wind, every attempt at news paper killing. There is no doubt but that he is alive and well and able and willing to commit every depredation for which he is noted. Until something more authentic is received than a vague rumor, it is best for people who live along his routes of travel to keep on their usual lookout for this fellow.—*Sulphur Valley News.*

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It is rumored that the Arizona Copper Company will soon put in a new furnace for the treatment of outside ores. Miners and property owners in the different mining districts around Clifton and Morenci will hail with delight a movement of this kind.—*Mohave County Miner.*

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The destruction of the wheat crop in a large portion of the country east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio has lead to a rapid advance in prices of that staple commodity. Fruit from a similar cause will be in active demand at more than the ordinary figures.—*Phenix Herald.*

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An important cattle transaction took place in town Wednesday says the *Tempe News*, that illustrates the rapid advance which is taking place in cattle prices. The sale of a band of 100 cattle by J. J. Frazier to Wolf Sachs shows that beef is bound to be beef and that the long looked for harvest of the cattlemen is at hand. Goodness knows he has had to wait long enough for it to come. The price paid for the Frazier cattle, which are just off the range, is $21 straight through. The cattle are large, averaging about 935 pounds. They will be turned onto alfalfa pasture for a few months before marketing.

A marriage license was issued by Judge Cluff on Thursday to John Allred and Maud Judd, both of Pima.

I. F. Campbell is building a large addition to his flour mill to store grain in.

The shelving has been placed in the new store of P. J. Jacobson & Son, and they expect to have their merchandise in place in the course of a week or two.

Two trains of cattle cars went to Ft. Thomas last Wednesday for the purpose of shipping 1000 head of steers, the sale of which was effected by J. N. Porter, of that place, to some eastern buyers some days ago.

The Law A Misfit.

The Eighteenth Legislature of Arizona created several laws which jibe "sweet bells jangle out of tune."

Perhaps the most conspicuous example of the conflictions arising from the inconsistences of the acts of the "Kindergarten Eighteenth" is the Act creating the Board of Immigration Commisioners, and the law classifying counties.

Under the law now in force counties in this Territory are divided into six classes, based upon assessed valuation of property. The law establishing the Board of Immigration Commissioners makes provision for the appointment of Commissioners in all the counties, and provides compensation for those in the first, second, and third class, only. There are only four counties in the territory under this law which can or possibly could have paid commissioners, or hired advertisers to play the bazoo for the counties.

With this law counties of the fourth, fifth and sixth class could have no objection, if those counties which can take the benefit of this Act were made to bear the entire expense. In the language of the act it provides for the "publication and distribution of information for the edification and enlightment of persons who may be induced to settle in the county or make investments therein." One section provides that the Board shall meet once a year at the Capital, each commissioner shall make a report to the Governor, "said reports to be published in full in pamphlet form and in such quantities as the Board may elect and be distributed in a manner consistent with the best interests of the Territory, and the expense of such publication and its distribution shall be paid by a warrant drawn upon the Territorial Treasury.

This is the fly in the ointment, that the whole Territory should pay for the advertisement of these four counties, and it is doubtful whether the law be valid under these circumstances.

The administration has already distributed its favors and caused commissioners to be issued to all of the counties. It is the duty of the commissioner to give a $2,000 bond to perform varied and many things, pleasant and otherwise, not the least of them being a trip to Phoenix annually at his own expense. Some of appointees have accepted, some refused and some are hesitating. To those who are still doubtful we venture to give Punch's advice to those about to marry, which is, "don't."

We refuse to execute the $2,000 bond or to pay five dollars to the Secretary of the Territory for a commission. We decline the proffered honor.—*Globe Silver Belt.*

Weather Bulletin No. 3.

For the week ending May 27, 1895.

GRAHAM COUNTY.

DUNCAN—Much thunder and lightning with several beneficial showers occurred during the week. The situation was greatly improved by the rain.

SAFFORD—This has been an exceptionally fine week for growth—warm and showery; heavy rain fell all round the valley increasing the supply of water for irrigation. Fresh vegetables are coming in abundance and of good quality, especially potatoes, peas &c. Wheat is nearley ready for harvesting. Safford mills promise new flower in a week more. At no previous time have the farmers prospects been so bright as they are at the close of this week.

What Irrigation Can Do.

Mr. George W. Crane has cut from his ranch, two miles from town, three crops of alfalfa up to date, from this year's sowing. The seed were sown March 18th, last. The three cuttings produced one ton per acre. He expects to cut four more crops from the same field, of fully two tons per acre, making a yield of three tons per acre for the first season and seven crops.

This is what water accomplishes. —*Yuma Times.*

THE water used by Mr. Crane on that alfalfa must have had fish in it. At any rate it smells mighty fishy this far away.

Notice To Teachers.

We were informed yesterday by County School Superintendent Cluff that the quartely examination for teachers desiring certificates will begin, Monday June 3, 1895 at the Court House in Solomonville. Teachers desiring to avail themselves of this examination should be there promptly at 9 o'clock on the day set. In connection with the quarterly examination, there will be held on the same day an examination for teachers desiring Life Diplomas. No certificates either of 1st or 2nd grade will be renewed more than once.

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TEXAS TIRED OF WAITING.

"The determination of the Democracy of Texas is to settle the silver question in their own party." said Hon. T. T. Andrews a few days ago. "Our people are impressed with the idea that a change in the financial policy of the nation is necessary and they are tired of waiting for international agreements. The farming classes are greatly in favor of silver and as Texas is an agricultural state, it is reasonable to suppose that the free coinage sentiment will prevail. At a moderate estimate, I would say that two-thirds of the Democrats of Texas ar in favor of free coinage of silver."

"So deeply are the Democrats intesested in free coinage of silver said he, that a state convention has been called to meet August 6, at Fort Worth, to place the Texas Democracy square on the silver question. Primary elections will be held all over the state and the discussion will be carried on in every township. It is the leading issue now before the people of Texas and able advocates of both sides will be heard in the canvass. The object is to prepare in this year, which is an off year, for the state and national campaign of 1896.

The action of the convention next August will be accepted by the great body of Democrats of the state as binding on the party."

"We don't look upon the silver question from the same standpoint, perhaps, as the people of Colorado or the owners of silver mines. With us it is not a question of the advance of the price of silver and the consequent benefit accruing to mine owners. We feel the need of an increased volume of currency upon a metal basis and we see no way of increasing the volume except through the more active use of silver. If it benefits the miners and mine owners the effect is incidental and not the prime object of the change. The cotton raiser sold his crop last year at lower prices than at any time since 1850. Hard times have set the negroes to thinking and many of them will be found voting with the Democrats for free coinage of silver."

There will be no uncertain sound in the resolutions adopted in the August convention, they will pronounce for the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

"I would not have you believe the gold bugs are asleep or few in numbers. On the contrary the sentiment has many supporters in Texas, and the gold advocates have now become the agressors and are pushing the fight with great energy They propose to fight to a finish on lines that are clearly defined. The Governor of the state is a silver man, and went in by a majority of 50,000. It is doubtful whether silver has an abler advocate in the country than John H. Geagan, who was postmaster general under the confederacy, and is the sole survivor of Davis' cabinet. Horace Chilten, one of the ablest men of the south, is one of our prominent advocates of silver. There is no lack of oratorical talent, I assure you, for the great silver battle in Texas.

"The farmers of Texax," said he, "and we are nearly all farmers—as a body owe less debts than the farmers of any other state in the union. They saw the hard times taking a grip on the country and they faced the emergency by the practice of the most rigid economy As a body, the farmers are passing through the ordeal bravely and in fair circumstances. The homestead law has proven one of the great bulwarks of the state. Under no circumstances can a homestead of 200 acres in the country or a homestead in town or city, be placed under the ban of mortgage. The fathers of the state wisely placed a provision in the constitution, protecting the citizen in his home. The people of Texas are grounded in the preservation of the home, and there is no method of mortgaging a home that will not permit a wife to recant. In making transfer of the homestead, the wife is always examined apart from her husband to show that she is not coerced."

Mr. Andrews is a member of the state legislature and has for years been deeply interested in state and national politics and has made the money question a study. At present he says he is taking no active part in politics but expresses public sentiment on the silver question as he sees it.

ONE LEAGUE ENOUGH.

As a result of the Salt Lake conference the National Bimetallic union has been organized and is about to commence the work of raising funds and distributing literature, So says the Rocky Mountain *News*.

The American Bimetallic league has been in existence for five years and has fought the good fight well. It has branches all over the United States and is recognized as a powerful factor in behalf of the restoration of bimetallism. What will be said by the adversaries of the people if it becomes heralded abroad that in Colorado and other Western states there is a dissention in the ranks, that there are differences and jealousies, and that in consequence the forces have split and there is a second league in the field, which intends to carry its work into all parts of the country, independently of the established league? This is precisely the interpretation which the gold bugs will place on the formation of the National Bimetallic union, and the consequences may be extremely injurious to the cause of silver.

The *News* urges that the two organizations should get together at once, before the impression has been spread that a breach has been created. It will be foolish, almost criminal, if rival leagues are allowed to enter into a contention for superiority, and the men who place themselves in the position of bringing about such a state of affairs will make a blunder of the gravest character. We ask of the leaders of the new union that they enter into communication with the American Bimetallic league, without delaying a moment, for the purpose of effecting an understanding that will take away any ground for the assertion that there is not perfect unity among the silver men of the west. There has never been the slighest reason for finding fault with the American Bimetallic league on the score of partisanship. On the contrary, it has been studiously careful to conduct its work along purely educational and nonpartisan lines. Its roll of membership includes all the leading bimetallists of the country. There should not be any serious thought of hampering or weakening it.

After the soldiers arrived here last Thursday afternoon Captain Pitcher took the cars for Willcox to try and find out where the wild Indians were located. He could get no definite news regarding them. He returned Friday, and Saturday morning started with his men for the Gila. He calculated to reach the river at Hart's ranch and go from there to Solomonville, via Duncan, in the hopes of hearing something of the red rascals on the trip.—*Western Liberal.*

The troops arrived at Solomonville, ir safety, having encountered no Indians nor having seen even a sign on the way, and while here concluded there would be no excitement fighting "Injuns" so they varied the monotony of the trip by "doing" the Solomonville boys at a game of ball. The score stood 34 to 3, in favor of the boys in blue. The soldier's in their half of the third inning found pitcher Luther Green's balls to the tune of 19 runs, and the game closed on account of darkness.

The man who devots all his energies to pulling down other men's characters is a detriment to any community.

THANK HEAVEN, THE DANGER IS PAST.

The New York *Sun* has the following to say of the Income Tax:

In a hundred years the Supreme Court of the United States has not rendered a decision more important in its effect, or reaching further in its consequences, than that which the *Sun* records this morning. There is life left in the institutions which the founders of this republic devised and constructed. There is a safe future for the national system under which we were all born, and have lived and prospered. The wave of socialistic revolution has gone far, but it breaks at the foot of the ultimate bulwark set up for the protection of our liberties. Five to four the Court stands like a rock. The infamous income tax can now be regarded in the historical sense; and its history is this: Demanded by the Populist platform of 1892; Recommended as "wise, just and easily borne," by Grover Cleveland in 1893; Enacted by an infatuated and cowardly Democratic Congress in 1894; Killed forever by the Supreme Court of the United States in 1895. For all this let us be profundly grateful.

The editor of the *Sun*, who by the way, is a multi-millionare and a gold bug of the rankest kind seems to feel very good and thankful that one of the most just laws, one that in its nature, would compel the rich to bear their just proportion of the governmental expenses with their poorer neighbors has been declared unconstitutional. But in another part of the same article he express fear and horror at the though that it is the intention of Attorney General Olney to frame an income tax law that will stand the test of constitutionality, and which if framed will probably become a law at the next session of Congress.

THE *Rocky Mountain News* pays the following tribute to Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky:

"The blue-grass senator who has carried the silver banner so long and faithfully is now offered the opportunity of a lifetime. Armed as he is, with truth and science, the champion of bimetallism on "the dark and bloody ground," he should prepare and deliver a speech upon the coinage question that will unhorse and crush, in the great arena of the people, the knight of the goldbugs, who, with defiance, hurled his lance full at his breast, in Covington, on Monday last.

Senator Blackburn, though of admitted talent, is as yet but a local statesman. It does not follow, that because one is a senator, he is truly a national character. The eloquent Kentuckian, while possessing the ability to fill a nation's eye and ears, has been too slothful to accomplish it. Will he throw off the weights that have held him down, and become, as he may, in a single day, the accepted champion of the people? The Covington speech of Secretary Carlisle has given him both the incentive and the opportunity.

Carlisle went to Kentucky as a challenge to Blackburn. He brought with him not alone his own strenght and prestige, but all the power and influence of the administration, with the promise of the gold of Wall street to crush Mr. Blackburn out of political existence. If the senator is made of the true metal; if he possesses the strength and courage which truth and justice will inspire; if his skill is not that of the carpet knight, but of Ivanhoe, fighting for his love, his honor and his country, before many days his name will sound from ocean to ocean and he will become a popular household idol."

THE law classifying the counties in Arizona is being opposed by county officials in Graham county to the detriment of that and neighboring counties. The *Gazette* feels assured that the law will be held good and will go into effect without further opposition.—*Gazette.*

Vice-President Stevenson will in all probability be the democratic nominee for president. Mr. Stevenson is one of the grandest characters in public life, and would rally to his support every free silver man in the nation, a strong, patriotic statesman and one whom the democracy loves and trusts.—*Gazette*

IF any county official desires to communicate with the public the columns of the GUARDIAN are open to him.

THE FARM.

The total production of grain in the United States, in busheles, for the year 1892 was a follows!

Corn	1,628,464,000
Wheat	515,949,000
Oats	661,035,000
Barley	70,000,000
Rye	30,000,000
Buckwheat	11,000,000
Total	2,916,448,000

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The sharp points of corn stalks when fresh cut are very injurious to the stomachs of animals, especially to tho horse, which does not chew the cud. Stalks for horses, if cut at all, should be cut in considerable quantities and placed in bulk where a slight fermentation will soften them. This does not detract from the value of the stalk, even for cattle, as the softening process is an aid to digestion, besides removing the danger that the stalks will injure the stomach. Even the driest stalks will soften when cut and piled in heapes. If the weather turns warm, some care must be taken to prevent these cut stalks from heating too much and either molding or rotting. Frequent turning over of the heap to admit air will prevent this danger.

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Whether the yield of corn is affected by color, and whether the white or the yellow varities produce the greater yield, has always been a matter of dispute. In order to secure definite information in regard to this the Mississippi Experiment Station has made 138 tests with 45 varieties of dent corn. As a result of this work the 75 tests with 25 white varieties having given an average yield of 45 bushels per acre, while the 63 tests with 20 varieties of yellow varieties have given an average of only 38.2 bushels per acre. The total average coincide very clocely with the partial results published in several of the annual reports, and which were as follows: In 1890 the yield of 17 white varieties was 44.6 bushels per acre, while 15 yellow varieties gave 37.1 bushels. In 1891, 25 white varieties yielded 37.5 bushels, while 18 yellow varieties yielded 34.9 bushels per acre. In 1892 the yield of 11 white varieties was 45.2 bushels, while the same number of yellow varieties gave only 40.5 bushels per acre. In 1892 and 1894 the tests were continued with 22 white varieties yielding 39.1 bushels per acre. During each year of this work the two varieties giving the heaviest yields were both white, though not always the same varieties.

These results have been so uniform and have indicated so strongly that the better yield can usually be secured from the white varieties that the published records of similar work done at other stations have been examined very carefully, and have been found to correspond very closely with the result secured at this station.

These figures show that in a total of 1,267 tests, with 490 varieties, the average yield of 217 white varieties has been 2.5 bushles per acre in excess of the yield of 273 yellow varieties; and that only one of the seven stations making these tests have the yellow varieties given the better average yield. At six of the seven stations some one white variety has given the best yield, and of the 35 varieties named as giving the best yields at the different stations 24 are white and only seven are yellow.

Such an agreement in results over such a wide area, and secured by such a large number of careful tests, cannot be accidental, it shows very plainly that it is usually possible to secure greater yields from white than from yellow varieties.

Full details of these experiments are published in *Bulletin* No. 33, copies of which can be had by addressing the Director of Experiment Station, Agricultral Collage, Mississippi.

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Gay?
What's the matter with Jingo?
Who is there will shy
Just because Old Glory
Floats
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High?
What's the matter with Jingo?
Who will dare to growl
When the American people
Maka
Rome
Howl?
What's the matter with Jingo?
Who's the man to shirk
If we stop Great Britain
With
A
Jerk?
What's the matter with Jingo?
Breathe there men to day
Who think this nation shouldn't
Have
Its
Say?
What's the matter with Jingo?
The Red, White and Blue
Can lick the whole caboodle
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We, the undersigned, N. P. Beebe, John W. Morris, C. Madson, A. Perkins, and A. T. West, Directors and Incorporators of the Safford Milling and Merchandise Company, are authorized by the share-holders to incorporate said company.

The principal place of business shall be in the town of Safford, County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

The time of commencement of this corporation shall be the day of filing these articles of incorporation in the office of the County Recorder of said Graham County, and shall continue fifty years thereafter.

The business of this incorporation shall be the grinding of Wheat, Barley and Corn, and the buying and selling of Wheat, Flour, Barley, Corn, Hay and Merchandise, and shall be known as the Safford Milling and Merchandise Company.

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A Board of five Directors, who shall be stockholders of this incorporation, shall conduct its affairs; and they shall be elected at the annual meeting of the stock-holders, to be held on the first Saturday of June in each year, by a majority vote of the stock present.

These articles of incorporation may be amended at any time by a two-thirds majority vote of the stock represented at any called meeting.

The following share-holders shall constitute the Board of Directors for the present year, viz:

N. P. BEEBE.
J. W. MORRIS,
C. MADSON,
A. PERKINS.
A. T. WEST.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,
COUNTY OF GRAHAM. } ss

Before me, W. B. Fonda, a Justice of the Peace in and for Precinct No. 1, in said Graham County, on this 26th day of April, A. D. 1895, personally appeared N. P. Beebe, J. W. Morris, C. Madson, A. Perkins and A. T. West, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand on this 26th day of April, A. D. 1895.

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In the District Court, Second Judicial District Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

Wm. F. Hagan and Sarah J. Hagan, co-partners, doing business under the firm name of Hagan and Company, Plaintiffs.

VS

The Gold Bullion Mining Company, a corporation, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the above named court on the 2nd day of May, 1895, and to me as Sheriff duly directed and delivered on a judgment rendered in said court in favor of the plaintiffs in the above entitled action for the sum of Seven Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars and Fifteen cents, (725.15) with Sixteen Dollars interest, together with accrued costs of suit, amounting to sixty dollars, and accruing costs, I did on this 3d day of May, 1895, levy upon the following described property, situated in the Greenlee Gold Mountain Mining District in said Graham County, Arizona.

One lumber house, three rooms; One stove cooking outfit, etc.; Two canvass houses; One lumber house two rooms; One assayer's outfit complete; Two assayer's scales; One assayer's furnace; Forty seven boards 1x12x14; One Marshal gold mill; One silver plated plate; One 35-horse engine; One boiler; One wire cable; One lot of betting; One pump; One lot one inch pipe; One lot of flat irons; One Grind stone; One mill house with everythsng pertaining thereto; 125 feet 18 inch pipe used as ore shutes; Forty cords wood, more or less; One Gates crusher, complete with building; Three ore cars; One chain, block and tackle; Three miner's shovels; Twelve pulleys; One lot 1½ inch pipe; One lot casting; One lot three inch pipe; Six sluice boxes; One English saddle, lot of tools, betting, harness, valves, hose-pipe, tongs, pipe-cutters, etc; One blacksmith's outfit; Two tents; One bay horse; One sorrel horse.

Also the following described real property, recorded as follows:

Gold Bullion No. 4, Book 7 Record of Mines page 335.
First Location, book 7, record of mines p 336.
Wonderful, book 7, record of mines, page 337.
Gold Bullion, book 7, record of mines, page 338.
Last Location, book 7, record of mines p 339.
Gold Vault Placer " 7 " " " " p 340.
" " " No 2, book 7 record of mines page 341.
Gold Vault Placer No 3 book 7 record of mines page 342.
Gold Bullion No 2 book 7 record of mines p 343
" " " 3 " 7 " " " p 344

All of the above mentioned property is situated in Justice Precinct No 3 Graham County Arizona and all of said personal property, machinery, mills, etc., being situated upon the foregoing described real property. All of said records of mines being in the office of the Co Recorder of Graham county, Arizona, reference to which said records is hereby made for a more particular description of said mining locations.

Public notice is hereby given that I will at the north door of the Court House in the town of Solomonville, Graham county, Arizona, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. on the 27th day of May, 1895, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money, the above described property of the defendant, or a sufficient amount thereof to satisfy said judgment and all costs of suit.

ARTHUR A. WIGHT.
Sheriff of said County.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead No. 1088.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZ., April 24, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on June 3, 1895, viz:

William A. Clark, of Eden, Graham county, Arizona, for the S E ¼ of N W ¼ and S ½ of N E ¼ Sec 3 and S W ¼ of N W ¼ Sec 2, Tp 6 S R 24 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivatied of, said land, viz:

John Waddle and William A. Carter, of Matthews, Arizona, and Thomas A. Fuller and Wiley Holliday, of Eden, Arizona.

4-27-6t EUGENE J. TRIPPEL, Register.

That New Railroad.

One of the most important railroad projects ever undertaken in Arizona is that which is now under way—to build a line from Durango, Col., connecting at that point with the Rio Grande system, to Flagstaff, Ariz., where it will connect with the Arizona Central railway, thence south to the junction of the Salt and Verde rivers, thence via Phoenix and Yuma to San Diego. The line is backed by, and will use the bank of the Hudson Canal Company from the junction of the Salt and Verde Rivers to Yuma. The Arizona Central Railway has fifteen miles of track from Flagstaff south already laid, and twenty miles more graded. It is incorporated with a capital stock of $12,500,000, has no debts and its line passes through one of the richest portions of Arizona. It has one locomotive and twenty-three cars in use on its line.

The Utah Southern Railway will extend its lines from Frisco, Utah, to Cedar City. The new line crosses the Atlantic & Pacific Railway at Flagstaff, and the Southern Pacific at Yuma, where the Colorado River Railroad will connect with it from Cedar City, using the same road from Yuma to San Diego. At the latter place connections will be made with the San Diego belt line, which ownes the finest and most valuable water front on the Pacific Coast. A line will also be built from the junction of the Salt and Verde rivers south via Tucson to Nogales, and also from Yuma south sixty-five miles to the Gulf of California, at the mouth of the Colorado.

The Hudson Canal Company is by far the most important irregation project yet undertaken in Arizona. The legislature of Arizona has passed a law exempting any new railroad built in the territory from taxation until 1905, which is equal to a subsidy of $3,000 per mile. The right of way has been secured for the new road from Flagstaff to Yuma. Engineers are already in the field locating the line south of Flagstaff. The road will open up the richest portions of Arizona.—*Globe Democrat.*

Cure a Cold.

The most careful persons are apt to catch a cold in their chests that will extends wiftly to the lungs if not attended to. It usually makes its presence known by a constricted sensation just under the breast bone, where the flesh is the thinest. When a person experiences this feeling he can rest assured that he can procure almost instant relief by drinking a cup of water as hot as he can bear to take in the mouth and to swallow. There is no better medicine in the world to arrest the progress of a cold than hot water, and, besides, its effect upon the stomach and the system generally, it is beneficial in the highest degree. And in sore throat the remedy will be found almost a specific.

A BIG RIFLE.

Dragging Sixty Tons of Steel Up a Steep Hill.

The labor of lifting 60 tons of metal 40 feet long and about nine feet in diameter at the base from the sea level up to the crown of the hill above old Ft. Point has been going on for two weeks.

It is the first of the new twelve inch rifle that are to be mounted on the new defenses of this point. No trucks can be found strong enough to support 120,000 pounds of steel, and consequently this great mass must be dragged foot by foot on well-oiled ways around the sharp turns in the road on the ascent.

Four square timbers 60 feet in length each are laid in pairs, making a double track 230 feet long. Two great three-sheaved iron blocks through which is rove a Manila hawser, two inches in diameter, makes a tackle by which the donkey engine slowly moves the gun. The engine slowly moves the great weight about 50 feet a day. After having passed the steepest part of the way the contractors expect to move 100 feet a day. McMahon & Sons have the contract to move to their mounts the three monster guns, which will defend San Francisco from foes without. Two will be mounted on this side of the harbor entrance, and the other on the highest bluff of Lime Point. They receive for their labor $3,550. The range of the rifles is twelve miles and the weight of the projectile is 2,000 pounds. The "life" of these pieces is about 95 rounds apiece. The mountings have not yet arrived from the Eastern foundry.—*S. F. Call.*

On To Washington.

A recent dispatch states that "Gen." C. E. Kelly, who led a detachment of Coxey's army to the national capital last year has left for Washington, accompained by his wife and two children, in a prairie schooner on what he considers an important mission. He believes that a monster petition will be as likely to obtain recognition from Congress as a crowd of hungry men on the steps of the Capitol, and the purpose of his trip is to obtain signatures to his prayer for national help in times of general depression.

Kelly will deliver lectures at all places through which he will pass, and, after explaining the purposes of his mission, will submit the memorial to Congress.

WALNUT GROVE DAM.

THAT HUGE RESERVOIR TO BE RECONSTRUCTED.

Amended Notices Of Location and Appropriation Filed In This City May 23.

The great Walnut Grove dam, whose mention recalls the most dreadful disaster in the history of Arizona, is to be rebuilt. Amended notices of location of the dam site at the head of Walnut Grove canyon in Yavapai county and of the appropriation of all waters of Hassayampa creek were filed May 23. The original notice of appropriation was filed twelve years ago by Wells H. Bates, and location of the dam site was made three years later.

The rights of the locator were soon after transferred to the Walnut Grove Water Storage company, organized under the laws of Kentucky.

The construction of the great dam was commenced immediately. It was built of solid stone and rose to a height of 110 feet above bedrock, creating a reservoir having an extent of 530 acres. In three years $350,000 was spent upon the construction.

When it was nearly finished it gave way one night before the weight of waters gathered from a February storm. That was such a night of horror as had occured only once before in the United States, when Lake Conemaugh went out, and never since. The mortality attending the Johnstown flood was greater only because the population in the narrow valley of the Conemaugh was more dense, but sparsely settled as the banks of the Hassayampa where the Walnut Grove flood found not less than eighty victims that night, nearly one-fifth of one per cent of the population of the territory.

Little was seen of the havoc. The roar of the water was heard for miles and as the solid wall dashed along a phosporescent gleam through the inky darkness of a cloudy night, was thrown from its angery crest. Everything went before the flood. There was absolutely no obstruction. Rocks weighing tons and tons were not rolled along, but were picked up and tossed like blocks of wood. The greatest mortality occured in camps on the lately dry bed of the river, always a dangerous camping ground. Others were swept away from places of supposed security farther up and beyond any height ever reached by the Hassayampa in its angriest mood.

Bodies were picked up along the banks days after, and weeks, months and even years later there were found half buried in the sand the skeletons and occasionally the strangely preserved bodies of men who had been swept along in that awful flood.

The occasional sweep of the Mississippi covering a tier of counties on either side conveys a stronger impression of the majestic and irresistible power of water, but never was there a more striking exhibition of its structive force than was witnessed on that February morning after the Walnut Grove dam went out.

A Thoroughbred Democrat.

On my return a few days ago from an extended trip through the Territory, I found a notice informing me that my subscription to the Republican had expired, with a request to renew; Which I would have gladly done, but for one reason, and I write this to inform you why I declined.

I have been a life long Democrat, and in our last campaign I was honored by my party with the chairmanship of the County Central Committee. I always admired the *Republican* for its old defence of Democracy. But, a circumstance occured which changes my opinion as to the character of that paper.

Some time ago an article appeared in it under the head; "The Mormons in Missouri." That article was full of slander, abuse and misrepresentations about the Mormons which I personally know to be such, for I witnessed many of the scenes that the writer pretended to describe.

I wrote a reply to the article, and sent it to the *Republican* for publication, in order that its readers might hear both sides of the question, without which they would not be able to judge impartially. For the wise man gives us to understand that, "he that judges a matter before hearing both sides is a fool." Yet there are many who are willingly persuaded by hearing one side only, and often condem the innocent.

You refused to publish my article, which I consider to be injust and dishonorable, for this reason I will look elsewhere for my Denocratic literature in the future.

If I can find a paper that will deal justly with me, publish the truth boldly, and shame the devil, I will patronize it as long as I live.

R. A. ALLRED.

The Mexican who was on trial at Florence for the murder of Mr. Doll was acquitted of the charge, but will now be tried for the murder of the son.—*Star.*

A PEEP INTO THE FUTURE.

The Condition of the Gila Valley Twenty Years Hence as Portrayed by the Fertile Brain of J. Parley Biglow.

The first town at which we arrived in the valley was Solomonville, where we boarded the electric street car, and although at night were able to see, through the medium of the electric light system, as well as in the day time. Among the smaller buildings of the city we recognized where I. E. Solomonville once run a large and sucessful mercantile business, (Mr. Solomon having moved into more commodious quarters,) which had been converted into a printing office, from which a periodical went forth. My attention was drawn to the old adobe court house which looked much delapidated.

After laving Solomonville we stepped aboard the evening passenger train; in a few minutes were at Safford, where we visited the annual fair. It was there we beheld the arts of husbandry and machanism exhibited to a high degree. We visited the arts building and the department of the Safford woolen and cotton works and their exhibits were second to none. We also saw fine specimens of rich ore from the Lone Star and other mining districts. We then visited the farmer's hay, grain and vegetable department where I was led to exclaim, "surely this is a garden of eden.

After leaving the fair grounds we visited the office of the morning GUARDIAN which sent forth daily the local and foreign news of the day to its nemerous readers.

The county court house at Safford had just been repainted which gave it a handsome appearance. It was here we noticed the electric street sprinkler doing noble work.

After visiting all the principle places of interest in the city we stepped aboard the train and soon reached Thatcher. I was forcibly struck with its beauty and especially with the educational buildings and magnificient business houses of every discription. Our stay in this desirable spot was short, and in a few minutes we had arrived at Central, where the farmer had ever been made to rejoice over the rich returns of the fertile soil, and where nature seemed to smile upon all who ventured upon the ocean of life. We turned to give this favored spot a farewell look and started for Pima.

Here almost everything heart could desire was produced. Home industry seemed to be her motto. I was told that through the reservoir system nearly all the land between the cities and Mt. Graham was under cultivation.

After leaving Pima the G. V. G. & N. Ry. carried us to Thomas, where it holds its headquarters. Thus far we were able to tell when in a city only by the buildings being higher and closer together.

In passing from this point to San Carlos I saw some beautiful fields, orchards, barns and dwellings which were the fruit of frugal Indian industry. We visited the coal fields, which are not far from San Carlos, from where was exported a large amount of first-class coal yearly, outside of that consumed in the state.

Stepping again into the passenger coach, it was but a short time till we were in the copper city, Globe, it having also become a great railroad center. We spent some time in the copper works where one could see copper in all its different stages. Silver having taken its proper place had greatly increased the mining industry at this place. Many new mines had been opened up, and the old ones, which appearantly had been sleeping for years, had been awakened by the sound of the hammer and drill, until it seemed that the people of Globe were trying to melt the mountains down for the precious metal they contain.

J. PARLEY BIGLOW.

WONDER OF RELATIONSHIP.

Man Committed Suicide After Finding He Was His Own Grandfather.

In an old scrapbook which has been in the family of the editor of "Notes for the Curious" for twenty five or thirty years, and which contains a number of clippings without date, I find the following: William Herman, who committed suicide at Titusville, Pa., a short time since, did so because some one had convinced him that he was his own grandfather! Here is a copy of the singular letter he left: I married a widow who had a grown-up daughter. My father visited us often, fell in love with my step-daughter and married her. Thus he became my son-in-law, and my stepdaughter became my mother, because she was my father's wife. Soon after this my wife gave birth to a son, who, of course, was my father's brother-in-law, and my uncle, for he was the brother of my stepmother. My father's wife also became the mother of a son. He was of course, my brother, and also my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter. Accordingly my wife was my grandmother, because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband and grandchild at one and the same time. And as the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather, I was my own grrndfather!" Was it any wonder that the poor man rid himself of such a tangled relationship?

The Guardian.

SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 1895.

LATE EDITORIAL.

HE DECLINES.

In another column of the GUARDIAN will be found an article from the *Silver Belt* entitled, "The Law a Misfit," in which the editor of that paper declines to accept the place of "*Immigration Commissioner*," of Gila county. The GUARDIAN commends the judgement of the *Belt* in declining to accept a position which would only tend to increase the burden of the tax-ridden people of Gila. In fact, it seems that these appointments are being almost universally ignored throughout the Territory, which is a good indication that the demand for economy in County and Territorial affairs is being heeded. From a legal standpoint, as well as upon grounds of economy the GUARDIAN has always opposed this law from its inception.

A WRITER in the *Bullion* says. Arizona is the place where one can rest and dream the hours away; and it is also the land of sunshine, silver and gold, health and prosperity, and the place for capitalists to invest in mines. Arizona measures in length, from north to south 380 miles, east to west 340 miles. The territory is a vast empire in itself of 113,967 square miles, and equals in area the New England states and New York combined. There is no country in the United States like Arizona. We have an abundance of inspiring scenery, rugged mountains, which are full of the precious metals, beautiful valleys, which need only the magic touch of capital to make them bring forth all the fruits of earth, and large forests, which abound with all kinds of grass and game. We can also find in this great territory ruins, which have long been abandoned, which were inhabited by the cliff dwellers. Arizona is rich in mines, rich in timber, rich in grazing lands, rich in soil, rich in the finest mineral springs on earth, rich in the purest of mountain air and sunshine.

IT is rather surprising that any one should say that the surrender by Mr. Michelena of his books to the Sheriff would have decided the Classification law and cut down the salaries of the other county officials. As a demand was made by Recorder Leon upon Mr. Smith for the books of the Board how about that failure to surrender? Why is one to be criticised and the other not.

HON W. A. CLARK, of the United Verde Copper Company, is looming up as a senatorial candidate. The *Star* has no hesitation in saying that he will prove the strongest candidate in the North, and is liable to be one of the first senators from Arizona, for he is Democratic to the back-bone, a man of great ability and will be well able to sustain the dignity of the high office at the nation's capital.—*Star*

THE great destruction of crops east and north caused a regular panic in the New York and Chicago markets. The price of wheat rose rapidly and there were thirty million bushels bought and sold in New York in one day, while in a few days the sales in Chicago amounted to a million and a quarter bushels.

NEARLY all business failures are by men who see no good in advertising. The business statistics of every town and city in the Union will bear this assertion out. The grandest business successes have been built up by advertising, and statistics from the greatest centers will bear this assertion out.—*Prescott Courier.*

Among the Democrats of Maricopa County none are more loyal or more worthy of recognition than "Joe" Alexander. There is nodouble dealing in his nature, which is a virtue worthy of commendation wherever met.

If all Democrats were as true as "Joe" the party in Arizona would make a winning fight every campaign.

A RECENT editorial in a Missouri paper is quoted as follows: "We are darn mad! Darn the people, anyway! How can they expect us here, twelve miles from a river, millions of miles from heaven and about two miles from the devil, to get out a lively paper?"

Lincoln on Silver.

The following language used by President Lincoln shortly before his assassenation indicates plainly that that great statesman thoroughly understood that silver should always be used as a money metal on a parity with gold:

"Mr. Colfax: I want you to take a message from me to the miners whom you visit. I have very large ideas of the mineral wealth of our nation. I believe it is practically inexhaustible. It abounds all over the western country, from the Rocky mountains to the Pacific, and its development has scarcely commenced. During the war when we were adding a couple of million of dollars every day to our national debt, I did not care about encouraging the increase in the volume of our precious metals; we had the country to save first. But now that the rebellion is overthrown, and we know pretty nearly the amount of our national debt, the more gold and silver we mine, we make the payment of that debt so much the easier. Now I an going to encourage that in every possible way. We shall have hundreds of thousands of disbanded soldiers, and many have feared that their return home in such great numbers might paralyze industry by furnishing suddenly a greater supply of labor than there will be a demand for. I am going to try to attract them to the hidden wealth of our mountain ranges, where there is room enough for all. Immigration, which even the war has not stopped, will land upon our shores hundreds of thousands more from overcrowded Europe. I intend to point them to the gold and silver that wait for them in the west. Tell the miners for me that I shall promote their interests to the best of my ability, because their prosperity is the prosperity of the nation, and we shall prove, in a few years, that we are indeed the treasury of the world."

Much of the discontent among the Apaches arises from their impoverished condition, and many of them are on the verge of starvation. The Mormons on the Upper Gila have taken out no less than a dozen ditches, and the Indians on the San Carlos reservation have little or no water to irrigate their crops. The same condition exists on the Sacaton reservation below Florence. The only difference being that the Pimas and Maricopas are peaceful, and will suffer and die, while the Apaches are warlike, and propose to fight. The government can easily solve this question without war. Let the rations of the Indians be doubled for the time being, send the troops back to San Carlos and Fort Bowie, and commence at once the erection of a system of reservoirs for the storage of water along the Gila River. This will be cheaper in the end, and how much more civilizing.

The above copied from the Florance *Tribune* is in error so far as the ditches that have been taken out in this valley are concerned. It is true that there are a large number of ditches in the valley, but they do not affect the river on the San Carlos reservation. There is just as much water there now as there was ten years ago, and we were informed by James Stevens a few weeks ago that the crops planted by the Indians this year are good. The water can be diverted from the stream at any point, a tight dam placed across the river and every drop of water possible turned into the canal, and five miles further down stream there will be just as much water flowing in the channel as there is above the dam. We agree that more rations should be given to the Indians and that more troops should be stationed in this part of the territory, but the idea of them starving on account of poor crops is absured, as we do not believe that 3 per cent of the Indians on the reservation are farmers, and those that are farmers are not discontented It was said by a person who was in a position to know, when Government first talked of removing the soldiers and cutting down the Indian's rations that there would be trouble this spring, and if any serious trouble occurs it will be from this cause and not from shortage of crops.

NEVER in the history of the valley have there been as many substantial improvements made as in the last six months, and the spirit of improvement seems to increase. On every hand are to be seen new buildings going up, both for public and private use. Every town seems to have awakened to the fact that the Gila valley is the garden spot of the southwest, and that every improvement made shall be of a substantial and lasting nature.

H. E. Norton, one of Pima's boss gardeners, favored this office with four fine heads of lettuce, yesterday which weighed four and a half pounds, and were nice and tender.

The Mining Tax.

Senor Romero, the Mexican Minister, said a few days ago concerning the intention of Mexico to decree an export duty discriminating against the American capital invested in Mexican mining enterprises, that he was not aware that such a bill had been approved by the Mexican Congress, but as it was presented by the executive he believed that it is very likely to be approved. Senor Romero further said that the real object fo the pending bill was to distribute on the whole mining industry of Mexico the very high duty now levied upon the mining of silver. The present mining duty is 4.44 per centum.

Senor Romero further said that the real object of the new bill is to distribute equally among all the silver producers of Mexico the percent tax which now lies on some classes of miners and that the imputation that, it is a discriminating measure against American capital invested in Mexico is utterly without fonndation.

How To Build a Town.

Buy from peddlers as much as possible.

Denounce a merchant because he makes a proffit on his goods.

Expect your home paper to work for the town without proper patronage.

Keep up a divided sentiment on the best methods of increasing business.

When any public improvement is needed, that will benefit the entire town refuse to contribute your mite.

Glory in the downfall of a man who has done much to help build up the town.

Refuse to unite in any scheme that will be for the betterment of the material interests of the people.

If a stranger comes to town tell him everything is overdone, and predict a general crash in the near future.

Tell your merchant that you can buy goods a great deal cheaper in other towns and charge them with extortion.

When you have anything to say concerning your town, say it in such a manner as to leave the impression that you have no faith whatever in your town.—*El Paso Tribune.*

The S. P. Co., have decided to give an excursion from the different towns on the line in Arizona and New Mexico to Santa Monica, Cal., commencing June 6th, 1895. Tickets purchased for this excursion will be good for 60 days. Round trip tickets will be $34.85.

Mr. Wilbur Ijams arrived in town to-day.

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PEDIGREE—INDEX JUNIOR was bred in Phenix by George Hamlin and has never been out of the Territory. He was purchased by Geo. A. Olney and brought to Solomonville in December, 1893; is a dark bay, weighs 1160 lbs. Record, 2:40. Is by Index, dam, Black Bird, she by Black Bird at Chico, Cala. Index by Keokuk, dam by Morrell; Keokuk by Vermont Black Hawk, dam by Bishop's Hambletonian; Morrell by the Jenson Horse, son of Bullrush Morgan, dam by Heath Mare, by Farrington Horse, son of Vance Horse; second dam by an Eastern Mare, and a fast paces.

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